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SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT OF NEW NATO DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL

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1. PREVIOUS GUIDANCE APPLIES, AS APPROPRIATE. WE TOO SEE
THE PETRIGNANI APPOINTMENT AS A FOREGONE CONCLUSION. WE
ONLY REGRET THE WAY THINGS WERE HANDLED ESPECIALLY BY LUNS
BUT ALSO BY THE ITALIANS; PARTICULARLY SINCE THE RESULTING
RUCKUS WAS COMPLETELY UNNECESSARY.

2. BUT NOW THAT OTHERS ARE AGITATED WE WANT TO SEE HOW
THINGS PLAY OUT BEFORE TAKING ANY FORMAL POSITION ON
SUCCESSION QUESTIONS. CHRISTOPHER

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